

Washington, D.C. – U.S. Rep. Tom Rooney (FL-16) will join employees of Triumph Aerostructures – Vought Aircraft Division to celebrate the production and delivery of its 1,000th ship set of airframe components for the Boeing 767 aircraft. The Stuart facility employs approximately 250 Floridians.

“This program employs about 250 people in our district, and when the Air Force selects the 767-based, Boeing NewGen Tanker as the platform for the new aerial refueling tanker, even more jobs will be created right here in Stuart,” Rooney said.

“Producing and delivering 1,000 ship sets is an impressive milestone and showcases the hard work and dedication of Florida’s workers, who are the best in the country. We must make sure we have an environment where people want to bring their businesses to our state so they can create good jobs and help get our economy back on the right track.”

### **Event Details**

**What:** Town Hall Meeting

**When:** Wednesday, October 20, 10:00 am – 11:00 am

**Where:** 1801 Airport Road  
Stuart

### **Background**

Stuart employees have been producing Boeing 767 structures since 1979. Current deliverables include the wing center section, doors and other key components. The event will celebrate the 1,000th delivery to Boeing Commercial Airplanes of these key components and recognize the potential for many more deliveries when the U.S. Air Force accepts Boeing’s proposal for using the 767 as the platform for a new next-generation aerial refueling tanker (NewGen Tanker).

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